portion of the City of Takoma Park in Montgomery County, THE AD VALOREM TAX SHALL NOT EXCEED 1 CENT PER \$100 OF ASSESSED VALUATION. This tax shall be in an amount necessary to pay the sums required for the maintenance of:

- (i) Storm drainage systems in that portion of the sanitary district in Montgomery County and previously maintained by the WSSC; and
- (ii) On application of a municipality, those storm drainage systems previously maintained by the municipality.
- [(4)] (2) (i) If any municipality in Montgomery County wants to maintain all existing storm drainage systems in its boundaries, the municipality may notify the County Council before the date on which the County Council adopts its annual budget and appropriations resolution.
- (ii) In that event, all assessable properties in the boundaries of the municipality shall be exempt from the levy made by the County Council for the future maintenance of its storm drainage.
- (b) (1) [This subsection does not apply to that portion of the City of Takoma Park in Montgomery County.
- (2)] Montgomery County shall maintain every interest in surface drainage easements, structures, and other properties, whether or not established by plat for storm drainage use and purposes, that control and dispose of storm or surface water in Montgomery County and that were transferred by deed to Montgomery County.
- [(3)] (2) The WSSC and any municipality in Montgomery County shall permit Montgomery County to enter and exit over any of its fees, leaseholds, easements, or rights-of-way to maintain any drainage easement, structure, or other property.

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- [(a) If an ad valorem tax is suspended under subsection (c) of this section, the property for which the tax was suspended, during the period of the suspension, shall be considered as not within the taxing district of the sanitary district, as the taxing district is provided for in § 6-108 of this title. However, when the property is no longer eligible for the exemption from an ad valorem tax, the property shall be considered within the taxing district.
- (b)] Except as specifically provided in Title 5 of this article, any law, rule, or regulation that applies to the sanitary district shall apply to any property for which the front